February 2014
Department of Public Safety
Nevada Highway Patrol

SAFESTAT REPORT

Nevada Highway Patrol

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Overview

Southern Command personnel handled 912 crashes in February 2014. Of these, 656 were property damage, 253 were injury, and 3 were fatal. The total crashes decreased by 3.3% compared to last year. When compared to last year, fatalities decreased by 25.0%. 60 of these crashes involved commercial vehicles; 17 of the commercial crashes resulted in injuries, 43 were property damage, and 0 resulted in fatality. Crashes involving commercial vehicles represented 6.6% of the total crashes handled by the Southern Command. Impaired drivers were responsible for 2.4% of all crashes in the Southern Command.

The Southern Command is driven to provide this community with a professional and effective law enforcement presence. The Southern Command extends a thank you to all those who assisted us in gaining success in our law enforcement services this past month.

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CRASH ANALYSIS AND OVERVIEW

	February 2014	February 13	% Change	January 14	% Change
Total crashes	912	942	-3.3%	933	-2.3%
Property crashes [including commercial vehicles]	656	669	-1.9%	652	0.6%
Injury crashes [including commercial vehicles]	253	270	-6.3%	279	3.3%
Fatal crashes [including commercial vehicles]	3	4	-25.0%	2	50.0%
DUI crashes [DUI charged]	22	27	-18.5%	36	-38.9%
Total persons killed in fatal crashes	4	6	-33.3%	4	0.0%
Total drivers killed without seatbelts	1	3	-66.7%	0	100.0%
Total passengers killed without seatbelts	0	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Total drivers killed with seatbelts	1	2	-50.0%	1	0.0%
Total passengers killed with seatbelts	1	0	100.0%	0	100.0%
Total persons killed - seatbelts not applicable	4	1	300.0%	2	100.0%
Total number of commercial vehicle crashes	60	48	25.0%	51	17.6%
Property crashes involving commercial vehicle	43	20	115.0%	43	0.0%
Injury crashes involving commercial vehicle	17	28	-39.3%	8	250.0%
Fatal crashes involving commercial vehicle	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

CRASH ANALYSIS

Percentage of fatal crashes to total crashes
 Percentage of DUI crashes to total crashes
 Percentage of persons killed *without* seatbelts to total persons killed
 Percentage of commercial vehicle crashes to total crashes
 6.6%

◆ Total crashes decreased 3.3% compared to last year.

• Commercial vehicle crashes increased 25.0% from last year.

◆ Fatality crashes decreased 25.0% compared to last year.

PERFORMANCE MEASURES

Total Contacts 11,679

Total Interdiction Contacts (ICE) 594

Total Traffic Safety Program Operations 0

FIELD ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY

[Analysis and review of current reporting period, versus same period in previous fiscal year, versus previous reporting period]

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TRAFFIC OPERATIONS	February 14	February 13	% Change	January 14	% Change
DUI arrests from crashes	22	27	-18.5%	36	-38.9%
DUI arrests <i>prior</i> to crashes	151	134	12.7%	144	4.9%
Other Arrests	849	1173	-27.6%	889	-4.5%
Total persons arrested (DUI included)	358	409	-12.5%	404	-11.4%
Speed violations	2494	3646	-31.6%	4307	-42.1%
Hazardous moving violations	1844	1896	-2.7%	2202	-16.3%
Occupant restraint violations *	240	227	5.7%	277	-13.4%
Total violations** [above violations included]	8373	10,661	-21.5%	11,895	-29.6%
COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS					
Hazardous moving violations - citations/arrests	32	34	-5.9%	77	-58.4%
Other traffic violations - citations/arrests	110	94	17.0%	218	-49.5%
Total safety inspections [level 1, 2, 3, 4, & 6]	768	903	-15.0%	816	-5.9%
Terminal inspections [level 5]	0	2	-200.0%	7	-700.0%
Total safety violations citation	199	186	7.0%	186	7.0%
Total safety violations repair order	1401	1566	-10.5%	1403	-0.1%
Total vehicles placed "Out of Service"	74	69	7.2%	87	-14.9%
Total drivers placed "Out of Service"	64	75	-14.7%	52	23.1%
Total school buses inspected	255	267	-4.5%	192	32.8%
Total school buses placed "Out of Service"	65	74	-12.2%	44	47.7%
Total trucks weighed	1122	58	1834.5%	0	112200.0%
Total overweight citations	3	8	-62.5%	0	300.0%
Total dyed fuel inspections	469	446	5.2%	457	2.6%
Total dyed fuel citations *Southelt and Child Restraint	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

^{*}Seatbelt and Child Restraint

COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY [TRAFFIC PERSONNEL ONLY]	2014	2013
Level 2/3 Inspections		43
Safety Violations Citation		6
Safety Violations Repair Order		23
Drivers Placed "Out of Service"		2
Dyed Fuel Inspections		14
Dyed Fuel Citations		0

DUI / IMPAIRMENT ANALYSIS

◆ Average BAC: 0.15%

◆ Average age of DUI arrests: 34.2 years old

ADMINISTRATIVE OPERATIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	February 14	February 13	% Change	January 2014	% Change
FRONT OFFICE					
Accident Reports Processed	970	1005	-3.5%	1,189	-18.4%
Arrest Reports Processed	380	437	-13.0%	405	-6.2%
Incident / Officer Reports Processed	2	5	-60.0%	11	-81.8%
CONTRACT SERVICES					
Total Contracts	6	9	-33.3%	5	20.0%
Total Hours	98	185.5	-47.2%	428	-77.1%
Total Billed	\$6,776.27	\$14,024.73	-51.7%	\$34,856.13	-80.6%

PUBLIC INFORMATION / EVENTS

- ◆ Meetings (7) Interviews (32) Safety Fairs/Presentations (8) FTAC (2)
- ◆ Safekids Clark County Child Seat Check, Pedestrian Enforcement Event, JF Tweet-Along SM Event, Community Event Garside Middle School